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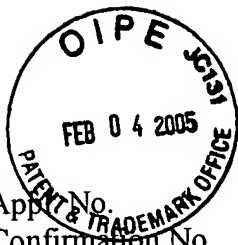
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The invention in DE 976 137, cited in the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement relates to a radial drilling machine having a column carrying a radially moveable extension arm 14 onto which a drill head housing 18 is mounted. An electrical cable is lead in a freely hanging manner from the top of the column to the drill head housing 18.

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